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In re Application of JOSEPH M. AMATO  
Application No.: 10/567,173  
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Priority Date: 25 June 2003  
Attorney Docket No.: US03 0199 US02  
For: OFFSET DEPENDENT RESISTOR FOR  
MEASURING MISALIGNMENT OF STITCHED  
MASKS

DECISION ON  
PETITION TO REVIVE  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

The petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed 03 February 2006 in the above-captioned application is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

Applicant's statement that the "entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" meets the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3).

A review of the application file reveals that the basic national fee of \$300 was paid. The required petition fee of \$1500 was also paid. Thus, the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been satisfied. Therefore, the request to revive the application abandoned under 35 U.S.C. 371(d) is granted as to the National stage in the United States of America.

Applicant also submitted a declaration, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), and executed by the inventor. The \$130 surcharge for filing the declaration after the thirty month period was charged to applicant's deposit account.

This application is being forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office for further processing. The 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2), and (c)(4) is 03 February 2006.

  
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